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For: Polynucleotide Encoding A Polypeptide  
Having Heparanase Activity And  
Expression of Same in Genetically  
Modified Cells

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In the section entitled "Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant": please correct as follows:

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which is a CON of 08/922,170 09/02/1997 now 5,968,822".

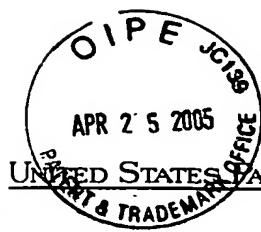
A copy of the first page of the Application, as amended by a preliminary amendment filed concurrently with the Application setting forth the above is attached hereto.

Applicant is concurrently filing an amendment with this response to properly show the relationship of the PCT Application and Application 09/109,386.

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Polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide having heparanase activity and expression of same in genetically modified cells

**Preliminary Class**

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**In the Specification:**

Replace the paragraphs beginning at page 1, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

**RELATED PATENT APPLICATIONS**

This is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/988,113, filed November 19, 2001, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/776,874, filed February 6, 2001, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/258,892, filed March 1, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of PCT/US98/17954, filed August 31, 1998, which claims priority from U.S. Patent Application 09/109,386, filed July 2, 1998, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application 08/922,170, filed September 2, 1997, now, U.S. Patent No. 5,968,822.

**Please amend pages 50, 51, 52, 112 as follows:**

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 50, line 20, with the following rewritten paragraph:

FIG. 16 presents the nucleotide sequence of the genomic region of the *hpa* gene with regard to SEQ ID NO: 42. Exon sequences appear in upper case and intron sequences in lower case. The deduced amino acid sequence of the exons is printed below the nucleotide sequence. Two predicted transcription start sites are shown in bold.

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 51, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph: